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NIGHTTIME FREEWAY CLOSURES ON I-15 AT MAIN STREET IN HESPERIA

Hesperia – Caltrans continues work on the Interstate 15 at Main Street and will require full directional freeway closures for bridge falsework removal. The nighttime closures will take place Wednesday August 17 and Thursday August 18, 2005. The schedule is listed below:

- Full closure on northbound I-15 Wednesday (8/17/05) 10:30 p.m. to Thursday (8/18/05) 5:00 a.m.
- > #1 lane closed on southbound I-15 during northbound closure.
- Full closure of southbound I-15 Thursday (8/18/05) 9:00 p.m. to Friday (8/19/05) 4:00 a.m.
- > #1 lane closed on northbound I-15 during southbound closure.

If additional work is necessary more closures may take place the week of August 22, 2005. Another press release will be issued if this occurs.

Detour:

<u>Southbound I-15 off-ramp:</u> Traffic may exit at Bear Valley Rd. or further south on Joshua St.

Northbound I-15 on-ramp: Go north on Mariposa Rd. to Bear Valley Rd. and enter northbound I-15.

The work is part of the ongoing project to improve the interchange at Main Street. The project is expected to be complete in fall 2005. Caltrans appreciates your patience during this closure and wants to remind everyone to pay attention, stay alert and always **SLOW FOR THE CONE ZONE.**

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